

**Public Hearing 3/22 to Discuss the FY2012 Community Development Block Grant**

**TOWN OF ENFIELD  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Enfield will conduct a public hearing on March 22, 2012, at 7:00 p.m. in conjunction with the Enfield Revitalization Strategy Committee meeting in the Enfield Room of the Town Hall, 820 Enfield Street, Enfield, to discuss the Fiscal Year 2012 Community Development Block Grant program and to solicit citizen input.

Maximum award limits include a total of \$500,000 per Fiscal Year for Public Facilities, \$500,000 per Fiscal Year for Public Housing Modernization, \$400,000 per Fiscal Year for Infrastructure (streets and sidewalks), \$300,000 for Economic Development, \$25,000 for Planning Only Grants, and \$300,000 per Fiscal Year for Housing Rehabilitation.

Major activity categories are: Acquisition, Housing-Rehabilitation, Public Housing Modernization, Community Facilities, Public Services, and Economic Development. Projects funded with CDBG allocations must carry out at least one of three National Objectives, as follows: benefit to low- and moderate-income persons, elimination of slums and blight, or meeting urgent community development needs.

The Community Development/Housing Department on behalf of the Town of Enfield anticipates applying for the maximum grant amount of \$300,000 under the Housing Rehabilitation category for the rehabilitation of various homes within the Town. In addition, the Town of Enfield will create a revolving loan fund with program income (principal and interest) generated from the grant for a housing rehabilitation loan program.

The purpose of the public hearing will be to give citizens an opportunity to make their comments known on the program and for approval of the Program Income Reuse Plan. If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may direct written comments to the Town of Enfield's Office of Community Development, 100 High Street, Enfield, CT 06082 or you may call (860)253-6389. In addition, information may be obtained at the above address between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on weekdays.

The Town of Enfield promotes fair housing and makes all programs available to low - and moderate-income families regardless of age, race, color, religion, sex, national origin, sexual preference, marital status, or handicap.

The site of the public hearing is handicapped accessible. Should anyone need special accommodations please contact Steve Bielenda, the Town's ADA Coordinator at (860)253-6345.

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